

PAT REGAN WAS IN JAIL 4 HOURS

Committed by Young Woman
Notary Public.

WAS LOCKED UP FOR CONTEMPT

HAD REFUSED TO ANSWER QUES-
TION UNDER OATH.

Patrick J. Regan, the only Republican clerk in the election commissioners' office and a former clerk of the City Hall Police Court, was committed to jail yesterday morning by Miss Blanch Ferguson, state attorney in the office of Attorney Edward R. Robert.

Miss Ferguson committed Mr. Regan in her capacity as a notary public, not for any dereliction or misconduct in his official position, but merely for refusing to answer a simple question.

To Mr. Regan it seemed the irony of fate to be committed to a prison cell by a woman; for he, when clerk of the police court, had helped hundreds of women to the workhouse.

His hours was as much imprisonment as the well-known political relished and practiced. Ferguson said that if she would release him from his cell he would gladly do his official bidding.

Miss Ferguson, however, instructed Sheriff Dillman to liberate the imprisoned official.

The question that Regan declined to answer was put by Robert touching the identity of the members of the Compton Hill Pure Home Association. Mr. Regan is president of this association, and it has been the Godwin Manufacturing Co., which has a soap plant on Compton Hill.

Depositions were being taken before Miss Ferguson in the suit of August F. Ranker against the Goodwin company, which is set for trial next week.

Miss Ferguson told Regan that it was not necessary to answer the question. Later City Attorney Taylor told him that it was.

It appears that there was a precedent for Miss Ferguson's action, a Miss Carroll, acting as a notary in Attorney E. A. Garber's office, having sent an attorney named Allen to jail for contempt.

VALUE OF TESTIMONY

Greater Than Assertion.

There is none of us so hardened that when we have been able to aid our fellow-creatures by conferring a benefit or bringing a little comfort into their lives we like to have appreciation shown. This generally afford more pleasure than the performance of the act itself, and in this connection the following letter from a Texas lady is of more than general interest.

"Dear Friends: I address you as such, for you have been such to me. I suffered for three years off and on with piles. I was treated at the hospital and the new and elegant hospital of Memphis; they only gave me temporary relief. I came west thinking the change of air and water would benefit me; five months ago the bleeding piles came back on me, and bled so much that I thought I would die.

"I have had four of the finest doctors in Texas; all they did was to finally nearly let me go to my grave; all they wanted was a big sum of money from me and to operate on me. I said no, no surgeon's knife would enter me; if it was my time to die God knew it, and when I died I would die all together.

"I began hearing about your medicine. I had no faith in you, but I sent and got a box of your Pyramid Pile Cure; in two days the blood flow had slackened to one-half the amount, and in one week I felt so much better I walked four blocks and did a little housework. I was not bleeding then; in three weeks I was well.

"God bless you for putting such a wonderful medicine within the reach of suffering men and women. I shall never cease to recommend your medicine or be without it; also I used your Pyramid Pile Cure.

Testimony like this (for the genuineness of which we vouch), should be more convincing than all claims and assertions, and should leave no doubt in the mind of the reader as to the merit of the remedy. Pyramid Pile Cure is sold by druggists for fifty cents a package, or will be mailed by the makers to any address upon receipt of price. Write Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., for their book on Cause and Cure of Piles.

Hemoline

CURES
Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbo-
Sciatica, Pleurisy, Mumps, Stiff
Joints, Pains and Aches of all kinds.

No Digestion, No Stomach
No Stomach, No Pain.

USE HEMOLINE
And avoid all evils
of which you are
subjected to which
drag the system. We
guarantee results by
external application.
What it has done for
thousands it will do
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ARLUND WHIPPED IN HOTEL LOBBY

Louisville Man Resented Re-
mark Wife Overheard.

PUNISHMENT WAS SEVERE

F. W. Hudson Followed Man Who At-
tacked Col. Wetmore at Planters'
and Struck and Kicked Him—
Arlund Did Not Fight.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 14.—Peter Arlund, the railroad promoter, was given a severe thrashing and thrown out of the lobby of the Selbach's Hotel by Frederick W. Hudson, local freight agent of the Louisville, Henderson & St. Louis Railroad, last evening.

Arlund's exit was hastened by a number of well-directed kicks, scientifically placed where they do the most good.

When he picked himself up in the street, his face was covered with blood from a cut under his right eye. The eye was closed and black and blue. His forehead and face were badly bruised.

The trouble originated in the cafe of the hotel. Mr. Hudson, with Mrs. Hudson and W. H. Slaughter, Jr., was eating supper about 7 o'clock, when Arlund, accompanied by G. S. Hinckley of Mobile, came into the room.

The new-comers were invited to take a seat at the same table by Mr. Hudson. A few moments later, in the course of the conversation, Arlund referred to a capitalist in another city with a repulsive epithet.

ENCOUNTER IN LOBBY.

Hudson resented the remark and requested Mr. Hinckley to get Arlund out into the lobby, as he wished to create no disturbance in the cafe, where number of ladies were eating.

A few moments later Mr. Hudson excused himself from his wife and walked into the lobby.

Arlund was leaning against the cigar stand, near the front door. Without the least excitement, Mr. Hudson approached him and demanded an explanation for his remarks.

The explanation is spread broadcast by the chief for the benefit of Clarence the Cop, so that the latter will not arrest upstairs flat dwellers when there is snow on the sidewalk.

The first blow was followed by a fusillade. Hudson using both fists and playing a tattoo on the countenance of the promoter, struck Arlund a terrific blow in the face.

Having both arms in front of his face, he backed away from the room, crying aloud from pain.

As he neared the door he turned to say, "As I went through the doorway Hudson raised his fist and administered two kicks that sent Arlund into the street.

EXPLAINED TO WITNESSES.

The lobby of the hotel was almost deserted at the time, but two men witnessing the affray. To these men Mr. Hudson turned and said: "I suppose an explanation is due to you, gentlemen. That man used a vile expression in the presence of my wife and I thrashed him."

He then returned to the cafe and continued his monologue, saying to his wife of what had occurred. When the supper was over Mr. and Mrs. Hudson left the hotel and went to the home of Mr. Hinckley.

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"I ought not to have done it," he said, "and I am ready to apologize to Mrs. Hudson."

Arlund is the man who gained notoriety some weeks ago in the Planters' Hotel for an alleged insult to a woman.

Arlund, who is a big man, called Col. Wetmore out of the cafe and struck him. Both were wounded.

The next day Arlund mailed a challenge to Col. Wetmore to fight a duel. Immediately after sending the challenge Arlund hopped a train for Louisville.

It developed later that the woman over whom the trouble occurred was not Arlund's wife, but the real wife was still at home in Louisville at the time of the attack in the Planters'.

Oysters and clams, a regular restaurant for all, open day and night. Popular prices. Milford's, 27 North Sixth street.

WOMAN SAT ON DOORSTEPS.

Maggie Slattery Was Arrested for Seeking Shelter.

Maggie Slattery, 45 years old, is in the observation ward at the City Hospital. For the past three days there have been many complaints from the residents of Cabanne about a woman who sat on doorsteps and during cold weather went inside vestibules. Some women were badly frightened.

Maggie Slattery admits she is the woman who huddled around the neighborhood. She said she had no home and went inside the storm doors to keep warm. She was arrested last night.

A MAGNIFICENT HOTEL.
New York's Pride, the Gregorian, Throws Open Its Doors to the Public.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The Gregorian Hotel opened the 1st of the month on Thirty-fifth street, West, and presents a feature unknown heretofore. No court, every room open to sunlight, north, east or west, or south, presenting the noblest architectural feature of six stories, suite and single room having private bath.

NEW YORK ELECT OFFICERS.
Newark Union, No. 1041, A. F. L., met at the Young People's Co-operative Hall, Eleventh and Locust, last night and elected permanent officers to serve for the following were elected:

Frank Wallace, president; John Keegan, vice-president; George Ackerman, treasurer; James O'Grady, recording and re-recording secretary.

THE INTERESTING MATINEE GIRL.
If any one has the impression that our beautiful young ladies do not respond to the sentiments of the public, then, we say, he should study the art-life-like illustrations of the "Matinee Girl" at the show, given on the new 1903 calendar sheets issued by the Armour Packing Co., Kansas City, Kan.

In drawing and color the artist is true to life, and the results are most lifelike.

The "Matinee Girl" is a "real" girl, a "real" person, and the illustrations of the "Matinee Girl" at the show, given on the new 1903 calendar sheets issued by the Armour Packing Co., Kansas City, Kan.

For years one of the most celebrated, skillful and successful physicians through the country has been writing a prescription for patients affected with indigestion, dyspepsia and irregularities of the digestive organs. The prescription was observed by the druggist who compounded it with great interest, and it was noticed that, almost without exception, the results were excellent. The prescription was obtained by the druggist who compounded it with great interest, and it was noticed that, almost without exception, the results were excellent.

The druggist, recognizing the value of a prescription producing such unusual results, obtained the copy of the prescription to use on the formula. A company was organized and an effective remedy for digestive disorders and dyspepsia was placed on the market. The company was organized and an effective remedy for digestive disorders and dyspepsia was placed on the market. The public's reception of the tablets was excellent, and the company has been found for the Tablets in cities and localities where once introduced, and the demand has been so great that a guarantee to refund purchase price if found ineffective.

Sold by druggists or direct for 50c per box of two tablets' treatment. You can have a sample package and pamphlet on Stomach Troubles that tell you all about the tablets. The tablets have been cured by writing to the Elixer Chemical Co., 22 Clark av., St. Louis, Mo.

MOVE IN THE UPSTAIRS FLAT AND YOU WON'T HAVE TO SHOVEL SNOW

"Clarence the Cop" Will Pass You By Then, but Otherwise He Will Surely "Pull" You If Your Sidewalks Are Not Clean.

Upon the pavement lies the snow. And if you ice it silly, The folk who pass your house, I trow, And the regulars, too, will say, "Mayhap they will walk and go And tell the tale to Kiley."

Clarence the Cop has another duty. Chief Kiley has sent forth the edict, addressed to all the police captains of the city, that the municipal ordinance regarding the removal of snow from the sidewalks must be enforced to the final finale.

This order carries with it instruction to arrest any person who permits the pristine purity to remain upon the pavement from his property, haul him into police court and have him fined from \$5 to \$20.

"Whether ye dwell in palace or in hovel," Chief Kiley says, "I'd have ye all to know, 'Tis most advisable to get a shovel And from your sidewalk out the snowy stuff."

"Ah!" says the flat dweller, "but how is a man who lives in a flat to know what is expected of him? Must he be compelled to stand all the expense, or the exertion, of shoveling the snow from the sidewalk in front of your building, when another family lives over him and resides here and gets as much benefit from the sidewalk? Shall I clean off the walk, when the folks in the other flat, who refuse to clean the front steps week about, and who throw cabbage leaves in the back yard, sit supinely and laugh at my mode of plying the snow shovel?"

"That depends," says Clarence. "Do you live upstairs or downstairs?"

"I stay," says Clarence. "You are exempt. Do you live upstairs or go to lower?"

The family downstairs must eliminate the snow from the sidewalk. It is nominated in the bond. You may sit at your window and watch your neighbor bend his back to the shovel.

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PEOPLE'S POPULAR WANT ADS
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10,000 GREATER Than the total of the next largest want Medium west of the Mississippi.

The news from Missouri will give Gas Addicks new hope.
What is sauce for the Indiana goose is sauce for the Boston gander.—T. R.

Perhaps the aeronauts will be no more aerogrammatical than telegrams are telegraphic.

Gov. Dooley has not yet cleared up the Parker pardon scandal, in which it is charged that \$1000 was paid for a pardon on a sick certificate.

One pleasant proof of better business management at the City Hall is the reduction of \$35,000 in the cost of sprinkling this year under last year's contracts.

SENATOR VEST'S VICTORY.

Senator Vest's efforts in behalf of humanity are successful. The duty on coal is suspended for one year by the following provision in a bill to be reported by the ways and means committee of the House and which is expected to pass both houses without effective opposition:

Provided, "That the secretary of the treasury be and he is hereby authorized and required to make full rebates of duties imposed by law on all coal of every form and description imported into the United States from foreign countries for the period of one year from and after the passage of this act."

This provision is due to the skill, determination and enthusiasm of the Missouri senator. The servants of monopoly in Congress were a unit against him, but he outwitted them. They supported his demand for justice with all the power of party, despite the sectional interests which have grown great on rent grants.

The worthy senator in close of an honorable career. G. Vest

in the effections of the American people. His memory long after the tools of his trade are gone where money is the only measure of value.

New York City is \$2,300,000,000 more than last year. But nobody knows yet how much of the increase will be sworn off.

PAPAISM IN OKLAHOMA.

Gov. Thomas B. Ferguson of Oklahoma is a good papa. He ordains that the girls who attend the territorial schools shall not wear bloomers when they play basket ball, or at any other time.

The governor likewise frowns upon smoking. He doesn't question the private right to smoke, but public characters like school principals and members of faculties must not burn tobacco—at least not on railroad trains and in hotel lobbies.

Gov. Ferguson is all right. He knows what's good for his people and is going to give it to them. Women must ask papa for the measure of their skirts, and men must not venture to roll cigarettes without his permission.

Carping critics may say that there is more mammalism than paternalism in such a rule. But that makes it all the better. A papa who can also be a mamma to his people is a thing of beauty as well as of use. And it is a part of the wisdom of the ancients that use and beauty ought always to be joined.

Let us congratulate the people of Oklahoma upon their great good fortune in having a governor who knows what's good for them.

The Goth and the "shameless Hun" will chortle when they read that Kipling has just lost a lawsuit.

STICK TO TRUisms.

In his address at the dinner of the Association of American Universities Mr. Wayne McVeagh said:

"You cannot administer the government in the interest of the coal barons and the rich alone. You must administer it in the interest of the toller as well."

This doesn't seem very wise or original. It is one of those truisms which, to be stated is to be understood, and to be understood is to be accepted. It is the bottom fact of that species of democracy known as Americanism, and has been the source of all the good the American people ever possessed.

But there are lapses from the truth. To prevent them should be the chief study of practical statesmen.

Thus there was a lapse when Congress, forgetting the toller, put a duty of 67 cents a ton on hard coal. That was an act of government in the interest solely of the coal barons, and the toller gets not the smallest share of the benefit. On the contrary, he pays the bill.

The one lapse. There have been many others. They are all discriminations by the government in favor of special interests against the general interest.

Note the result. Every one of these lapses from the truism quoted is followed by economic and moral confusion. An example of the first is seen in the prevailing coal famine and widespread suffering. The second shines with the dusky splendor of pandemonium in Mr. Oliphant's remark that the coal famine serves them right. They shouldn't have helped the strikers.

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COURTSHIP MADE EASY.

One by one the difficulties of courtship are being removed. The pathway of Cupid is being cleared by science.

It used to be, hardly more than twenty years ago, that when the sighing lover pined to see his dulcinea he had to dress up—a woeful waste of time, when every moment was precious—to take a mule car and mail along, fuming at delays, to the home where dwelt the fair adored.

Gradually electricity came to his rescue and brought him the trolley car, on which he may get there much sooner than before. Not crushed to death in the jam or run over by the trolley, and again the lightnings were harnessed and the telephones brought into general use.

The lover was placed several leagues nearer paradise, for he was the easiest thing in the world, to run to a corner drug store and call him up, or a bell to ring up his dulcinea. Instead of meeting her once a week thinking about

in the meantime, it became "as easy as lying" for them to sign and coo over the wine a dozen times a day.

This they are still doing. Now Sir. Marconi is at work on an invention which will bring nothing short of bliss to youthful hearts. Every lover can carry his own phone in his pocket, and once let the girl be supplied with a sympathetic instrument, lo and behold! what joy! What a superfluity of bliss! What tens of thousands of loving messages flying through the air by day and by night! Then we will have another popular song. "She is the Girl Who Knows My Phone."

Lieutenant-Governor Lee's way of downing the lobby by placing lobby leaders in high places strikes the plain citizen as queer. It is on a par with the Democratic legislators' way of driving the lobby out by sending a lobbyist to the United States Senate.

THE PRESIDENT'S CRUSADE.

President Roosevelt might well stop and think of the consequences of continuing the policy of stirring up strife and race prejudices among the whites and blacks of the South.

The question is not what is right in the abstract—no one in the abstract has a right to a federal office—but what is wise and expedient in view of the conditions in the South. Conditions, not theories, must be dealt with.

The Southern people are confronted with a difficult problem. Granting that the problem is complicated with prejudices and passions, yet they exist, and must be reckoned with. Their existence makes the problem harder to solve and suggests the necessity of using diplomacy and patience in dealing with it.

Every act that tends to arouse passion and prejudice makes the conditions harder and postpones the solution of the problem. The equilibrium is delicately balanced, and a rude disturbance of it may precipitate strife and wholly overthrow what has been accomplished.

The sentiments, feelings, relations of the white and black people in the southern communities must be taken into account. If they are not taken into account the whole social structure and the accepted conditions under which peace and amity are maintained may be broken up and chaos may return.

The situation calls for the skillful hand of the wise statesman, not the rough hand of the fanatic. More damage may be done by unreasonable haste and arbitrary action than can be repaired in a decade.

There is every reason why the wishes of every community should be consulted in federal appointments. That has been the invaluable rule in determining the choice of federal officeholders.

President Oliphant of the Delaware & Hudson places the coal question on a high ethical plane and finds that the famine is due to the people who helped the strikers last summer. These are now feeling the retribution due on account of their wickedness. But for the people who were good and didn't help the strikers he is truly sorry. Baer and Oliphant are two bright stars in the ethical firmament.

EXTENDING THE AGE LIMIT.

Workers nearing the 45 year age limit will find comfort and encouragement in the announcement of President Schurman of Cornell University that college professors are useful until 70 years of age. At that age the Cornell instructor is made professor emeritus, and President Schurman says this method of getting rid of the old fellows is worth more than all the funds it takes to pension them.

Emeritus signifies honorably discharged. It is a term used of one who has completed his service and is retired with honor. It is a good word to push into common use. It should be made to apply to more than professional people. Why can't we all become "emeritus" in due time?

Human nature being what it is—not at all a bad sort of nature it would seem that the question of extending the emeritus class rests largely with the people themselves. If the 45 year workers in other fields show, as the college professors have done, that 70 is the age limit, 70 it will become. In this matter as in others, work is better than whining.

It needs 14 days to work a car of coal from the mines just across the river into St. Louis. There are in the suburbs of Chicago 10,000 to 15,000 cars of coal which cannot be gotten into the city. But we are told that human intelligence of the highest order is devoted to the operation of railroads.

The late Spanish statesman Sagasta derided "the hypocritical cover of humanitarianism" worn by the United States. So there was at least one Spaniard ungrateful for that \$20,000,000 which we paid Spain for our Philippine troubles.

Great indignation prevails in Indiana, Miss., because a negro holds a federal office in that town. Great indignation prevails in Boston, Mass., because a negro holds a federal office in that town.

Southern California is coming to St. Louis in 1904 with an irrigation system which is said to be the best yet known.

POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

Muley Abdul Azi is much in need of Missouri mules.

Oliphant may prove a white elephant to the coal trust. It may be that Schwab is staying in Europe to avoid coal bills. Gov. Bailey of Kansas has been inaugurated, and there is still no Mrs. Bailey.

Ralph Waldo Emerson doubtless had an idea that he would one day write an essay on the bean.

The small boy of the closed school is bearing up exceedingly well in the great coal shortage.

Mrs. Tingley's incarnated dog Spot is doubtless wagging his tail joyously over that \$7500 verdict.

Notwithstanding his cholera and his rinderpest, the Filipino ought to be happy. No coal combine can touch him.

Dyspepsia killed Representative Tongue. Is Washington cooking so bad that it is fatal, or is it so good that statesmen make it fatal by overeating?

There is a noticeable absence of young men in Mr. Rockefeller's big Bible class. It is not young men who take to Bible classes. The mind of the young man is directed rather to the "good time" now than the good time of eternity, upon which he is disposed to take the chances.

The women of Rome looked upon the tearing of human beings by wild beasts. The women of Connecticut want to look on while a lot of prize tabby cats destroy a cageful of mice let loose in a public hall. Happily a tender-hearted man who happens to be mayor of the town in which this blood-curdling exhibition was planned has interfered and prevented it.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

H. F. S.—Legal questions are not answered.

J. L. C.—See directory for addresses of coin dealers.

G. R.—The negro you name was sent to the penitentiary for 20 years.

L. F. L.—The Western Penman is published at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

A. D. BROWN.—You can find mechanical dictionaries at the public library.

CONSTANT READER.—To get a position as guard at World's Fair, write to Col. H. A. Goodwin, commandant Jefferson Guards, World's Fair office.

INQUIRER.—Good Friday, 57 years ago, reckoning from the present year, fell on April 10, 1846. This fixes the day of month.

SUBSCRIBER.—James Whitcomb Riley wrote the poem in question. The lines are: "When the frost is on the pumpkin, and the fodder's in the shock." You can obtain his poems at public library.

The Greatest Senatorial Drop.

From the Victoria Herald.

The grafting invariable with Democrats upon reading after the veteran statesman and venerable senator from Missouri, is clouded by the deplorable reflection that his high and honorable career is drawing to its close. This is sad enough, but it is not the saddest thought incident to the occasion. This is to be recognized in the descent of that mantle of this greatest of the line of senators of a great state, upon a second-rate lawyer, a third-rate politician, and a first-rate manipulator of legislation, in the promotion of shady and corrupt jobs. On the very day of the publication in the Record of the ringing and virile speech we reproduce from the Congressional Record—perhaps Mr. Vest's last contribution to the Democratic tariff argument, which he had so ably and ingeniously expounded—Democrat negative cause nominated ex-Gen. Stone, for the seat Senator Vest will vacate.

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A DAILY MAGAZINE

SO DID WE ALL.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY.

It is necessary to hope, though hope should always be deluded, for hope itself is happiness, and its frustrations, however frequent, are yet less dreadful than its extinction.

JOHNSON.

IMITATION LAUGHTER.

This is a perfectly splendid liver medicine.

Take a deep breath and then expel the air from the lungs in little puffs, like a donkey engine. Push out all the air you possibly can, drawing the abdomen in and up as far as it will go. The doing of this exercise will probably strike you as being so perfectly funny, or silly, that you will wind up with some of the real thing, which is, of course, better than the imitation.

Maxwell's Tallman.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

Cheap men are dear swindles in business.

A way to get out of one love affair is to get into two.

A girl has as much fun getting engaged as a man has to going to a horse race.

It makes some men prouder to be the friend of a rich man than it makes other men to be rich.

Women are so jealous that they envy a woman's being sick, because it makes some of her friends call to see how she is.

—New York Press.

MUCH EASIER.

"You say that young man is an astronomer?" said young Mrs. Torkins.

"Yes; he can calculate the exact time that an eclipse is due."

"But what's the use, Charley, dear, when he can read the announcement in the paper?"—Washington Star.

RATHER LOW CUT.

Mrs. Poyt Jowl (at breakfast): Now, Uncle Hayrake, don't you think Marie's new gown is a triumph of dressmaking?

Uncle Hayrake: Before giving an opinion I shall be obliged to look under the table.—

Life.

"Was the trigonometry examination hard?"

"Yes, indeed. I had to shed tears before the professor would let me pass."

now in use in St. Louis—has become a bride. Her husband is a teacher of shorthand.

Will this young woman drive her husband to drink by faulty cooking—a practice of brides which Mr. Jenkins Lloyd Jones declares is alarmingly prevalent in the United States—or while hubby is making shorthand money, so that he won't be shorthanded, will wife be making shorthand, short pie crust and short biscuits shortened in length, so that his temper will never be short and crusty?

This, after all, is the paramount question in any newly-established household. However angelic may be the personality of the fair young thing who has rushed into the jaws of fate by taking upon herself the enormous responsibility of managing a husband, however much hubby may hate to hurt her feelings, the first time the cakes are leathery, the beefsteak tough, the chops burnt and the biscuits soggy there is going to be trouble just as sure as the grass do grow and the wind do blow.

There is nothing so disastrous to the peace of mind and loving wife as to send her to the noble downtown in the morning to work with his stomach full of indigestible groceries. Man, proud man, who considers himself only a little lower than the angels, is only an annual, when you get right down to cases, and his alimentary canal leads straight to the heart, with no circumlocution or sides passes.

Man—man—may stand for the following: His foibles and idiosyncrasies of lovely woman, but he won't stand for bullet biscuits, bad meat and bum pies. As an acre or Shakespeare or somebody almost said, but didn't:

"Cupid is a hungry lad. Thus to drive poor mortals mad."

A St. Louisian went away from his office to go 20 minutes, and he has been gone

POST-DISPATCH DAILY RECORD OF FINANCIAL AND MARKET DOINGS

HIGHER VALUES
FOR ALL GRAINTHE GREATEST STRENGTH DIS-
PLAYED BY CORN AND OATS.

WHEAT FOLLOWED THEIR LEAD

Cash Situation the Bull Influence in
Coarse Grain—Foreign News More
Favorable for Wheat.

Grain

An upturn was made in the price of all speculative grain on Wednesday. The

bullish influence in wheat came from Europe, which also gave corn a great deal of its strength. Foreign news appeared to be very much exercised over their own crop reports, and the ability of the grain market to advance and their own free-hand buying gave weight to the cables' statement.

The American bears in London, who did not

buy in the day before, did so most effectively today, and between their buying and that of bulls, who became ex-
cited by the news, the market was worked out. This did not hold and the market appeared late to contain the many more bulls than bears. With the many

more bulls than bears, the strong condition to keep a bull graft on wheat. The export demand was certainly of the wildly impulsive kind, but could not be explained
equally. Lucy could lay their hands on and cried strenuously for more. Tomorrow is the 18th of the month and first-half Jan-
uary, when the market can be sold

for the last time. Lucy did not show more strength than ever in the cash line.

WHEAT—An advance of 1¢ in Liverpool, as reported by cables this morning, did not indicate any excitement in the trade there over the "despairing" condition of the market. The advance of 1¢ in the Chicago market yesterday, but as corn and oats were very strong, and all other domestic markets were more or less quiet, the price in St. Louis market moved up a little more in value this morning. There was considerable sale, while the buying was very firm, and the cash market only 20¢ were received at Minneapolis and Duluth, where they were 3¢ a week ago, and 2¢ a year ago. The outside market were 20¢ a week ago, and was evoked locally that paid 25¢ for this 1¢ above the closing bid of yesterday.

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TEN CAR RIDES FOR 25 CENTS

Bill Intended to Benefit the School Children.

IN THE CITIES OF MISSOURI

COVERING ALL BETWEEN THE AGES OF 6 AND 16.

If the Bill Becomes a Law It Will Lessen the Cost of Attendance on the St. Louis High School in the Case of Many Pupils.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 14.—Senator Jewell has introduced a bill regulating the charges of street railway companies of the state to school children. The bill provides that the company shall sell ten tickets for 25 cents, to be used only on school days and in the school term. The term "school children" is taken to mean children between the ages of 6 years and 16, and includes the schools of St. Louis, Kansas City and St. Joseph only. The school board shall issue a card under its seal certifying to the fact that the holder is a school child. The company may issue a duplicate of this card through its conductors or some other agent shall sell tickets at the above rate. For the violation of the new company shall be liable to a fine of from \$2 to \$50 for each offense.

Senator Jewell said that in St. Louis the street car companies carried children from between the ages of 6 and 12 years for 25 cents a fare. He said that his bill required that the fare be 25 cents and St. Joseph concurring to do the same within a slight change in the age limit.

St. Louis has been doing this voluntarily for some time, but there is no reason why the other two large cities should not do the same. I cannot see why any of the companies should object to this as an easy way to bring about through both houses without serious objection.

If this bill becomes a law it will reduce the cost of attendance on the St. Louis High School in the case of many of the pupils who ride and now have to pay full fare.

COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE.

The List as Arranged by Speaker Whitecotton.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 14.—Following are the committees of the House, arranged by the Speaker, the first named being chairman:

Judiciary—Stewart, chairman; Taylor, Oliver, Dunbar, Dorris, Kronck, Atkinson, Bothwell, DeWitt, and others; William, chairman; Hick, Golden, Davidson, Clay, McKee, Cresson, Hahn, Tamm, and others.

Appropriations—Weaver, chairman; Gilson, Dunn, Shadley, Clegg, O'Donnell, Stamford, Morris, Hanes, and others; Thompson, Newton, O'Neill, and others.

Criminal Jurisprudence—Cochrane, chairman; Hick, Ladd, and others; Clegg, Clegg, Terrell, Gardner, Hesler, McPherson and Norris.

Education—Farley, Shepherd, and Weiss.

Finance—Brown, Case, Frost, Kiefer, Venhoff and Wray.

School Text Books—Davidson, chairman; Oliver, Venhoff, Gilson, Pfeiffer, Grace, Leonard, Barton, Dulay, Bothwell, Dietrich, Martin, Lett, Newton and Voshell.

Railroad and Internal Improvements—Hudson, Gilson, and others; Steele, chairman; Clegg, Kronck, Leaky, Chasteen, Baker, Woods, Carter, Clements, Murphy, Shepherd, Campbell, and others.

Life Insurance—Simmons, chairman; Locker, Crow, Horn, Erickson, Gardner and Clements, and others.

Banking—Banking—Dolan, chairman; Young, Shantz, Willis, Elkin, Stover and Burkhardt.

Private Corporations—Locker, and others; Simmons, Clegg, Brown, Case, Vernon, Leonard, Gardner, Logan, Davison, of Butler and Pease.

University and School of Mines—Dawson, chairman; Coffman, Darvin, Kline, McPherson, Brown of Clark and Newton.

Agriculture—Simmons, chairman; Rice, Erickson, Coffman, Darvin, Kline, McPherson, Brown, Booth, Frasher, Britton, Declue, Elliott, Purdy and others.

Engineering—Institutions—Janey, chairman; Baker, O'Donnell, Lynam, Grace, Lee of St. Louis, Sutliff, Viles, Stumberg, Quigg and Clegg.

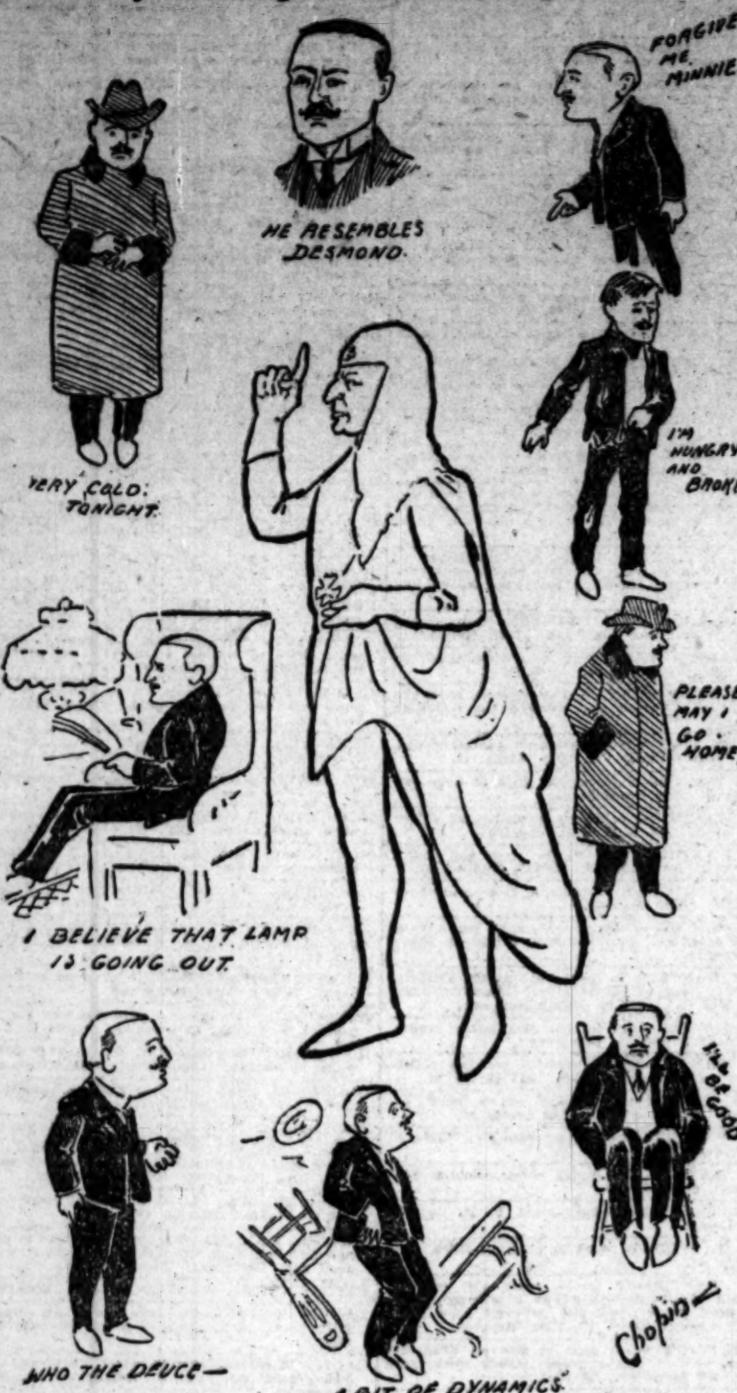
Dramatic—Clegg, Terrell, Gardner, and others; Murphy, Lee of St. Louis, Murphy and others; Leaky, and others.

Commerce and Manufacture—Carr, chairman; Chapman, Clegg, Harper, Shadley, Terrell, and others.

Minerals—Kronck, chairman; Long, Horn, Harper, and others.

Louisiana Purchase Exposition—Sulph, chairman; Louisiana Purchase Exposition—Sulph, chairman;

Hawtrey's Bad Night With a Messenger From Mars



MYSENBURG CASE AGAIN UP

Possible Second Trial of Councilman Is Being Considered by the Grandjury.

The grandjury is considering the case of Councilman E. A. Meysenburg today.

Meysenburg, who was once convicted of bribery in connection with the Suburban, has been granted a new trial by the Supreme Court for a new trial may be again required to face the charge.

The witnesses examined today were Attorney General George F. Moeller, Savings Institution; George F. Moeller, secretary of the Council; Philip Stock and Charles Wiggins.

Dr. Lorenz in London.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—Dr. Lorenz, the Austrian surgeon, who recently visited the United States, gave the first demonstration of his method here today. He said he hopes to revisit America near autumn.

CHEAPER STREET SPRINKLING.

About \$33,000 to Be Saved by the City This Year.

The Board of Public Improvements has opened bids for street sprinkling contracts for 54 districts. They range from 10 to 42 per cent lower than the bids of last year, owing to the report that there was to be found no opposition.

The total cost will be about \$190,000, as against \$323,000, the amount for 1902. It was ruled that the St. Louis Transfer Company after the plan, but this is denied, the firm of McGrath & Walsh bidding for itself, although Mr. McGrath is secretary of the transfer company. There were no single bids for the entire work.

Fined for Shortweight Coal.

IN THE DAYTON STREET Police Court yesterday James B. O'Neill, bartender, was fined \$2 for delivering to the Baptist Tabernacle a load of coal which was seven bushels short of the amount represented by the ticket. Harris is a driver for a dealer at Easton and Vandeventer avenues.

SMOKE LAW BEING ENFORCED

Laclede Gas Company Manager Was Fined Twenty-Five Dollars for Violating It.

Alexander Ross, secretary and general manager of the Laclede Gas Light Co., was fined \$2 and costs in the Court of Criminal Correction yesterday afternoon for violating the smoke law.

The Laclede company has a smokestack at Fourteenth and Gratiot streets and Inspector Jones preferred the charges in connection with that plant.

Fined Auto Owner for \$4500.

In the Dayton Street Police Court yesterday John O'Neill, bartender, was fined \$10 for driving at an automobile belonging to O'Neill and ran away. O'Neill asks \$4500 damages. The accident happened on West Avenue. The accident happened on West Avenue, between Forty-eighth and Vandeventer avenues.

HE TOOK AUDUBON'S LIFE.

This Charge Public Library Makes Against Fourteen-Year-Old Boy.

"Terry" O'Toole, a boy about 16 years of age, was arrested at 11th and Locust streets, and held in the Police Court of Criminal Correction yesterday afternoon for violating the smoke law.

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Weds at Ursuline Convent.

Miss Kate O'Hara, who since graduating from Ursuline Academy, has been home at the Ursuline Convent, now has two sisters who are nuns, was married this morning in the academy, where the Rev. Fr. John Shanahan of Kansas City was the bridegroom. Only a few priests were at the ceremony. One of the sisters is Sister Rosin of the Ursuline Convent and the other is Sister Catherine of the St. Joseph's Orphan's Home, Kansas City.

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**COMMENCING
JANUARY 12
Commission on City Orders:
STOCKS $\frac{1}{8}$, GRAIN $\frac{1}{16}$
COTTON, ONE POINT.**

**CELLA COMMISSION CO.,
200 N. FOURTH ST.,
ST. LOUIS.**

WE HAVE NO BRANCHES OR AGENTS.

FINANCIAL.

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In Thunder Mountain District

WE ARE WHERE THE GOLD IS

And the gold is there in quantities to astonish the world. The Liberty Gold Mining Co. owns seven claims in the Big Creek District and 140 acres on Thunder Mountain. The officers and directors of the Liberty Gold Mining Co. are bank officials, business men and practical miners, and they now have a force of men developing their property in the Big Creek District. The directors have decided to offer a small quantity of stock

AT 5 CENTS PER SHARE

(par value \$1.00), fully paid and nonassessable. This offer is open for a limited time, and for a limited amount of shares only, and as soon as this allotment is sold the price will be advanced at least 50 per cent.

Do you know that such eminent mining experts as Rutan, Hollister, Bassett and Bennett are staking their reputations on the Thunder Mountain District, and when they improve and put their money in it, it is certainly worth while?

The Liberty Gold Mining Co. has the best of the seven claims in the Big Creek that show assays taken from the surface ore as much as \$380 per ton.

The officers and directors of the Liberty Gold Mining Co. are all favorably known to the business world. They are as follows:

B. M. RUTAN, President of the Bank of Commerce, Boise, Idaho.

D. I. FORSYTH, First Vice-President.

J. A. COOPER, Secretary of the Wabash Ry., St. Louis, Mo.

J. W. GIBBON, Second Vice-President.

(Mine Owner and Capitalist, Joplin and Carthage, Mo.)

J. W. MASON, Secretary of the Citizens State Bank, St. Louis, Mo.

G. W. WHEATON, General Superintendent (Mining Engineer).

The sales of stock at the remarkably low PRICE OF $\frac{1}{8}$ PER SHARE have been very large, and the amount allotted to be sold at that price will soon be exhausted. We therefore urge you to write or call immediately for prospectus and any further information.

The stock is WORTH NOW $\frac{1}{8}$ PER SHARE, based upon the holdings of the company, but the directors are taking THIS MEANS AND METHOD of drawing the attention of the public quickly to their property and to the wealth of the Thunder Mountain District.

THE LIBERTY GOLD MINING CO.,

Suite 301 Wainwright Building, St. Louis, Mo.

REMOVAL.

For the third time in twelve months our increasing business has compelled us to seek larger quarters. We now occupy elegant new offices, 505 Commercial Building, Court Street, St. Louis, which are in the pleasure of many of our many customers. Come and see us. We advised you last spring to buy "Great Western" at St. Louis. Look where it is today. We advised you to buy "Great Western" at St. Louis. It is now St. Louis. We now say buy Franklin Lead at 10¢ and Gold-leaf at 5¢. Our Weekly Market Letter is free.

T. S. HENDERSON & CO.,

505-7 Commercial Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

St. Louis Union Trust Co.

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Pays interest on deposits of money,

Rents safe-deposit boxes,

Executes trusts of all kinds,

Acts as depositary under escrow agreements,

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Office to stock up valuable property.

Stocks, 25 Bals. and Gold Leaf.

50 Bals. and Gold

Supply Your Want

Advertisements to appear in the NOON issue of the Daily Post-Dispatch must be received in this office on the PRECEDING day. Those advertisements received BEFORE 11:45 A. M. will be classified in the regular editions of the same day. Those received between 11:45 and 12:35 may or may not be classified, according to the varying possibilities of the day.

THURSDAYS AND SATURDAYS—No advertisements received after 12 NOON for the issues of those days.

SATURDAY NIGHT—Advertisements received up to 10:30 p. m. will be classified for the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

Supply Your Want

FOR EXCHANGE.

One cent a word. **NOTICE:** Real estate advertisements are not accepted for this classification.

PAPER HANGING WANTED—To exchange, first-class dentistry for paper hanging. 720 Olive, 10th floor.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE. 20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

PAINTER—Painter and paper hanger wants work: first-class workman; res. Ad. G. G. Post-Disp.

PAINTER—Sit. wanted by an experienced painter, paper hanger and carpenter. Ad. W. 180, Post-Disp.

PAPER HANGER—Expert; will work cheap. 2409 Grand.

PATTER MAKER—Experienced novitiate pattern maker, employed, wishes to change positions; steady and industrious. Ad. G. G. Post-Disp.

PHYSICIAN—An experienced physician who is a registered pharmacist in Missouri, wants place in country drug store; have good refs. Ad. G. G. Post-Disp.

PLUMBER—Wants position; will do jobbing. Ad. A. S. Post-Disp.

PLASTERER—Sober, reliable, as foreman of state department in mill. Ad. T. 49, Post-Disp.

STENOGRAPHER—Position wanted as stenographer, by young man; references furnished. Ad. A. S. Post-Disp.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted at once; thoroughly experienced, strict; sober; good references from employer. Ad. Y. 160, Post-Disp.

WATCHMAN—Wanted, a position as night watchman or night work; discharged soldier; with excellent discharge; good refs. Ad. N. 3, Post-Disp.

YOUNG MAN—Situation wanted by young man of 25, willing to work. Ad. B. Sexton, 1028 Carr st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE. 20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

ACCOUNTANT—A. L. Pierce, 2018 Sheridan st., or Kingwood D. 500.

BAKER—Sit. wanted by a good baker; city or country. Ad. Y. 22, Post-Disp.

BAKER—A No. 1 cake baker wants position; experienced and reliable. Ad. G. 4, Post-Disp.

BARTEENDER—Age 28; willing to work for reliable employer; wants steady position. J. L. W. 1610 Franklin av.

BARTEENDER—Sit. as bartender; can give good refs.; 5 years at last place; will work reasonable. Call 312 S. Broadway.

BOOKKEEPER—Competent and experienced bookkeeper; wants position; operator typewriter; capable correspondent; good references; reasonable salary. Ad. S. 80, Post-Disp.

BOOKKEEPER—Office work or bookkeeping wanted by young man; fresh from school; good references; good position. Ad. O. S. P. D.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. wanted in country store; am good bookkeeper and salesman. Ad. T. S. P. D.

BOY—Sit. wanted by young German boy; carpenter and parquetry floor maker. 710 Carr st.

BOY—Sit. wanted by 13 years old, with some experience in grocery store; wants a home and a good education; wants steady day for training. 2409 Division st.

BOY—Wants job to drive team. 4222 Kenner st.

CARPENTER—Carpenter and jobber, first-class all-round mechanic; must have work; able and willing to do anything. Ad. B. 7, Post-Disp.

CLERK—Wanted, position as grocery clerk; experienced. Ad. S. 2, Post-Disp.

COLLECTOR—Position wanted by young man as collector; indoor work. Ad. A. S. Post-Disp.

COOK—Sit. wanted as cook; hotel or restaurant; strictly first-class; colored. 4061 West Cambridge court. H. B. W.

COOK—Sit. wanted by first-class Japanese cook in private family or steady place in hotel. 819 Main st.

DRUGGIST—Sit. wanted by competent druggist; graduate and registered; can give reference at last site; experience, 8 years. Ad. G. 1, P. D.

DRUGGIST—Registered druggist wants relief work Friday and Saturday. Delmar Union Pharmacy. 2220 Delmar.

ENGINEER—Wanted as electrical engineer or draftsman; understands designing and constructing machinery, winding armatures, etc. Ad. E. H. 311 N. 17th st.

ENGINEER—3 years' experience, 5 years in repair work; wants position in city or town. Ad. F. 2, Post-Disp.

MACHINIST—First-class nonunion machinist; wants permanent position; lathe or vice work preferred. Machinist. 2200 Natural Bridge rd.

MACHINIST—Wanted as electrical engineer or draftsman; understands designing and constructing machinery, winding armatures, etc. Ad. E. H. 311 N. 17th st.

MAN—Wanted as bus boy and waiter; can furnish ref. 1918 Franklin st.

MAN—Young man wishes sit. as assistant to state engineer. Ad. G. 2, Post-Disp.

MAN—Wanted, position by man experienced in electric light and telephone work. Louis Lorraine, 1228 8th st., city.

MAN—Young man desires to exchange services for board while in school. Ad. Y. 68, Post-Disp.

MAN—Bright, intelligent young man, 22 years of age, wants position as office boy. Ad. S. 2, Post-Disp.

MAN—Wanted as bus boy and waiter; can furnish ref. 1918 Franklin st.

MAN—Bright young man who was employed as assistant cutter wishes position. Ad. Y. 28, P. D.

MAN—Young man desires position; thoroughly experienced, recommended. Ad. M. 7, Post-Disp.

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MAN—Wanted by young man of 25; sober, reliable person; experienced; able to clean, paint, pack or ship; willing to do anything; has good refs.; anxious for work at once. Ad. B. 2, Post-Disp.

MAN—Wanted by man as timer; first-class workman; steady job only; \$2 per day; good reference; has experience in pasting. Ad. Y. 16, Post-Disp.

MAN—Sit. wanted by colored man to do housework; steady and wait on table. Ad. R. 8, Post-Disp.

MAN—Strictly temperate, aged 24, will work mornings and evenings for comfortable room and board. A. Gilcock, 2606 Washington st.

MAN—Wanted, position by man with good references. Ad. B. 2, Post-Disp.

MAN—Young man wishes sit. as bartender; will work reasonable. Ad. R. 1, Post-Disp.

MAN—Young man of 17 would like to have a position in any wholesale house. Apply at 2829 Palens st.

MAN—Man of 35; good references; wants position; wants to learn to cut meat. Ad. A. 6, Post-Disp.

MAN—Mobile-aged colored man wants employment; good stable man; good milker; good yard man. 2600 West st.

MAN—Wanted by young married man who works like a dog; wants fairly good hand. Ad. O. 2, Post-Disp.

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MAN—Wanted by young man of 21, to travel for same; wants to learn to cut meat; no bad habits; best of refs. G. H. L. 3428 Franklin st.

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SWITCHMAN INSTANTLY KILLED

H. K. Gumbolt's Head Struck on Lower Part of Fourteenth Street Viaduct.

H. K. Gumbolt, a switchman, whose home is at 14th Old Manchester road, was instantly killed in the Terminal yards at 8 o'clock this morning.

He was riding on the top of a freight car and the back was turned toward the Fourteenth street viaduct.

When the car passed under the bridge Gumbolt's head struck on the lower arch and fell to the ground.

Passers-by quickly removed him from the train and his body was taken to the Eberle Keys undertaking rooms at 1107 St. Ange street.

Gumbolt was 28 years old. An inquest will be held.

Collectors Were Unauthorized.

Women citizens of the neighborhood, on South Eleventh street, say they have

learned that contributions have been collected by persons not connected with the home. All persons authorized to receive contributions for the benefit of the home may have creditable and are always paid to show them. Subscriptions made payable to the newsboys' fund, Mississippi Valley Newsboys' Fund, are sent to the home through the proper channels.

CITY NEWS.

Sweaters are scarce commodities these days in St. Louis, but the CRAWFORD STORE has them. Boys' in both white and colored, and all wool, at \$1.00; and men's in black and all colors, and all wool, from \$2.00 to \$3.50 each!

Irish League Election.—This evening at 8 o'clock the O'Connell branch of the United Irish League will elect officers and delegates to the national convention which will be held at Sodality Hall, Coleman and North Market streets. This branch has a membership of 278. Meetings of these are held weekly. The general office is at 1107 St. Ange street. Gumbolt was 28 years old. An inquest will be held.

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Women citizens of the neighborhood, on South Eleventh street, say they have

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LEFT TO NEW YORK LAWYERS.
Mayor to Accept Decision on Bond Issue as Final.

Mayor Wells has decided to ask Dillon & Hubbard, the bond attorneys of New York City, to forward a written statement concerning the legality of the proposed bond issue. Their opinion will be final, and whatever suggestions they may make will be followed when the bonds are prepared. As soon as this information is received the ordinance will be introduced.

Fair Site Medical Census.

Medical Director L. H. Laidley of the state of health of the persons employed at the World's Fair grounds and employed there. He makes allusion to one violent blow, which he says was delivered by a policeman, who was 48 feet and was instantly killed. This happened at the electricity building. Ninety cases were treated during the month of December.

At the Electricity Hospital the greatest.

Of these 22 were surgical and 43 medical.

One birth is reported. The number of residents on the grounds is estimated to be 200.

NATIONAL BANKS
NAME DIRECTORSB. F. YOAKUM AND F. WEYER-
HAUSER ADDED TO THEM.

FEW CHANGES IN OFFICERS

Trust Companies and Other Financial and Business Corporations Also Held Annual Meetings.

The directors of the national banks of St. Louis held their annual meetings yesterday, and although in several instances new members were added to the directorates, there was no change in the personnel of the officers. In addition to the national banks, other trust companies and financial institutions and business corporations held annual meetings.

The Missouri Trust Co. elected the following officers: August Schiller, president; John W. H. Johnson, first vice-president; William Bagnell, third vice-president; H. M. Meier, fourth vice-president; Louis A. Schlaifer, fifth vice-president; Edward H. Gorrie, treasurer; Joseph H. St. John, assistant treasurer; Pope Sturgeon, assistant secretary; G. L. Faubhaber, bond officer; M. P. Murray, counsel, and trust officer; H. H. Johnson, manager of the office; Florence M. Laflin, manager of women's department; David C. Locker, safe deposit officer.

Third National Bank elected two new directors, B. F. Yoakum, president of the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroads, and F. Weyerhaeuser, of St. Paul, Minn., who previously had been members of the board of directors of the lumber companies operating in the North and Northwest. It is understood that they have secured large holdings in the bank and will bring a great amount of money to it.

The Mechanics' National Bank increased the number of directors from 15 to 17, electing Joseph M. Hiltner, president of the Hiltner & Hayes Woolen Co., and Russell Harding, vice-president and general manager of the Missouri Pacific system, to the positions of D. L. Clegg, who has moved to the Vandeventer Bank, and at the American Central Trust Co., where the terms of seven directors had expired, the vacancies were filled by George P. Smith, president of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association, was elected to membership.

OTHER ELECTIONS.

The old boards of all the institutions, with the above exceptions, were re-elected, and are as follows:

Third National Bank—Charles H. Huttig, W. B. Wall, F. W. Galbraith, G. W. Brown, George T. Cram, John N. Drummond, John S. Dunham, F. F. Knight, M. Kehler, F. A. Valentine, Thomas Wright, F. Weyerhaeuser and B. F. Yoakum.

Mechanics' National Bank—James T. Drummond, D. Ferguson, B. G. Green, James Green, Morris Glaser, R. R. Hutchinson, R. M. Hubbard, C. G. Knox, W. J. Kinsella, H. H. Turner, Henry H. Culver, W. Medart, M. Scheiner, Joseph M. Hays and Russell Harding.

National Bank of Commerce—William H. Thompson, James W. Bell, M. M. Buck, George C. Carpenter, Samuel M. Dodd, Benjamin Elman, John A. Holmes, E. E. Marshall, H. H. McMillin, H. N. Miller, H. C. Purcell, H. S. Priest, Corwin H. Spencer, E. C. Simmons, L. B. Tebbetts, J. C. Van Blarcom and Charles G. Warner.

Fourth National Bank—H. A. Forman, L. A. Browning, G. A. Augst, Van L. Ruyan, August Goertz, G. A. Caldwell, Ferdinand Johnson, Z. E. Johnson, Ferdinand Dierh, Z. W. Tinker, G. H. Lewis and David Sommers.

State National Bank—Charles Parsons, M. Zimmerman, C. C. Cullin, John A. Soudler, Henry H. Harstick, Robert S. Brookings, T. S. Maffitt, John T. Davis, Joseph Ramsey, Jr., Joseph Franklin, Rolla Wells, F. P. Frazee, H. C. Gandy, Logan Tompkins and John H. McCluney.

Merchants' Laclede National Bank—Wm. Lee, H. H. Johnson, H. Drummond, H. C. Scott, Charles C. C. Parsons, David Rankin, D. R. Frands, R. B. Dula, Francis A. Drew, C. F. Gause, L. D. Dooley, A. L. Folsom, George E. Godard, John J. O'Fallon, Charles Clark, S. E. Hoffman, J. J. Wertheimer, C. R. Scudder and O. H. Peckham.

Bank of St. Louis—Christopher Winkelmeier, Otto Cramer, Edward Devoy, George A. Held, William Herzog, J. H. A. Meyer, H. F. Weisert, J. Sibley White and J. H. Winkler.

Vandeventer Bank—D. L. Hatton, Thos. W. Crouch, Doctor C. H. Hughes, Edgar D. Tilton, M. M. Cohn, Edward S. Lewis, A. E. Davy, J. C. Gandy, G. C. Gandy, A. H. Parrish, D. L. Holton and C. R. Dudley.

The Northwestern Savings Bank—F. W. Beckman, William Block, August Fitch, Felix Hoelz, A. H. Hoffman, Christopher Ork, Henry Raternmann, Frederick Steinmann, Otto Stump, Jacob C. Scherer and Frederick Watzke.

American Central Trust Company: The seven new directors are: John N. Drummond, A. W. Gehner, A. N. Morris Glaser, W. H. Gehner, H. F. Frazee, W. H. Williams Lang and August H. Wager. The officers elected are: Ben Schnurmacher, president; John W. Simpson, first vice-president; Joseph W. Simpson, second vice-president; Franklin P. Hunkins, third vice-president; August A. Busch, fourth vice-president; Edward A. Buder, secretary and treasurer; and Rassauer & Buder, counsel.

Evening of Scottish Song.

Chorus of 2000 Voices in Concert for Benefit of the Burns Cot.

A grand Scottish evening will be given by the Burns Cottage Association at the Odeon next Saturday night, for the benefit of the Burns Cottage fund.

A chorus of 200 voices will sing, and eminent soloists and band will aid. Tickets are 50 cents at popular prices, and \$1.00 each, at Crawford's, Barr's, Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney's and Pen-

Gentiles'.

Engineer King.

Engineer King, who was hurt in a railroad wreck near Alton, Friday night, on the Big Four, will have to submit to amputation of his right leg. Dr. George Parsons of St. Joseph's hospital in Alton decided yesterday that an operation was unavoidable. At first it was thought King could not recover from his injuries.

Sulphothen, Anti-Ferment.

Relieves all stomach and bowel troubles.

Girl's Hair Caught Fire.

Miss Anna, Englund of Springfield, Ill., yesterday, after cleaning a pair of gloves with gasoline, put them on and took hold of the door of a stove. The gasoline ignited. She put her hands to her face and had a scalding fire. Her hands were quickly wrapped in blankets. Her face was badly blistered, and her hands were severely burned.

Society Women and Tollers.

Find in Orangeine Powders, relief and strength in the hour of need."

New World's Fair Committees.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the World's Fair at the St. Louis Club yesterday, the following appropriations were allowed: For grounds and buildings, \$250,000; exhibits, \$100,000; foreign exploitation, \$100,000; domestic exploitation, \$35,000; press and publicity, \$10,000.

The following committees were also appointed: International congresses, F. W. Lehman, chairman; Charles W. Knapp, president; John C. Shantz, vice-president; L. Shantz, receptions and entertainments, F. D. Hirschberg, chairman; John D. Davis, Thomas C. McKitterick, Dan C. Nugent and James W. Morton.

Business Men to Meet.—The business

men's League will hold its annual meeting at the Mercantile Club on Jan. 20. Dinner will be at 6 o'clock and an organization of officers will follow. A president, five vice-presidents and 24 members of the executive committee are to be elected.

PRESIDENT AGAINST BAUMHOF

Rev. Dr. Boyd Admits That Chief Executive Said He Was Unfavorably Impressed.

The Rev. W. W. Boyd returned from Washington yesterday. He admitted that the President said he was unfavorably disposed on the evidence which had been filed against Postmaster Baumhoff.

Dr. Boyd, however, declared that it was his belief that Mr. Baumhoff will be acquitted.

Dr. Boyd said the commission which had been sent out here to testify for the defense was called out by the Postmaster, claiming that this was the number of wagons he had on the ground that Baumhoff was too friendly to the national body of letter carriers. Dr. Boyd said, too, that

the commission had held no parley sessions. Harry Bracken, Baumhoff's private secretary, returned yesterday.

\$24,750 FOR CAR LICENSES.
City Realized That Sum as Annual Tax

Yesterday.

The St. Louis transit company yesterday adopted a resolution introduced by Commissioner Ridgely yesterday authorizing the latter to appoint a commission of two to have the expert landscape architect to fix the cost of the work to be done in part of Forest Park to its original condition after the World's Fair.

The Excisor Hauling Co., which has been sent out here to testify for the defense, was called out by the Postmaster, claiming that this was the number of wagons he had on the ground that Baumhoff was too friendly to the national body of letter carriers. Dr. Boyd said, too, that

ARTISTS TO ASSESS DAMAGE

Landscape Architects Will Decide Cost of Restoring Fair Site

as a Park.

The Board of Public Improvement

adopted a resolution introduced by Commissioner Ridgely yesterday authorizing the latter to appoint a commission of two to have the expert landscape architect

to fix the cost of the work to be done in part of Forest Park to its original condition after the World's Fair.

The Louis Purchase Exposition Company to insure the rehabilitation of the park, but it is believed by the board that a large sum will be required for the work to be done.

Commissioner Ridgely intends to appoint artists of national repute.

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THEO. F. KOERS, formerly manager for The Majesty Shoe Co.

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On or about Feb. 1st, open a high class shoe store at 420 N. Sixth St., for the sale of LADIES' SHOES EXCLUSIVELY. This will be the only store of the kind in St. Louis and will make a specialty of ladies' ultra fashionable and perfectly fitting shoes—by far the best values ever offered to the trade.

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Life out of doors and out of the games which they play and the enjoyment which they receive and the efforts which they make, comes the greater part of that healthful development which is so essential to their happiness when grown. When a laxative is needed the remedy which is given to them to cleanse and sweeten and strengthen the internal organs on which it acts, should be such as physicians would sanction, because its component parts are known to be wholesome and the remedy itself free from every objectionable quality. The one remedy which physicians and parents, well-informed, approve and recommend and which the little ones enjoy, because of its pleasant flavor, its gentle action and its beneficial effects, is—Syrup of Figs—and for the same reason it is the only laxative which should be used by fathers and mothers.

Syrup of Figs is the only remedy which acts gently, pleasantly and naturally without griping, irritating, or nauseating and which cleanses the system effectively, without producing that constipated habit which results from the use of the old-time cathartics and modern imitations, and against which the children should be so carefully guarded. If you would have them grow to manhood and womanhood, strong, healthy and happy, do not give them medicines, when medicines are not needed, and when nature gives assistance in the way of a laxative, give them only the simple, pleasant and gentle—Syrup of Figs.

Its quality is due not only to the excellence of the combination of the laxative principles of plants with pleasant aromatic syrups and juices, but also to our original method of manufacture and as you value the health of the little ones, do not accept any of the substitutes which unscrupulous dealers sometimes offer to increase their profits. The genuine article may be bought anywhere of all reliable druggists at fifty cents per bottle. Please to remember, the full name of the Company—

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